

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Masaki TSUJIMOTO et al.**

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For: **MOUNTING APPARATUS AND MOUNTING METHOD**

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2011, the period for response to which being extended by the Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith.

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